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## SENATE BILL 3246 By Burchett

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 6, relative to parental participation in public education.

## BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-7001(b), is amended by adding the following as a new, appropriately designated subdivision:

( ) State employees with children enrolled in schools may, subject to department approval or the approval of the employees' immediate supervisor, take off up to one day a month from work to voluntarily participate in the educational and teaching process described in this subsection.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2006, the public welfare requiring it.